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October 10, 2014

The Honorable Board of Supervisors  
County of Los Angeles  
383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration  
Los Angeles, California 90012

Dear Supervisors:

**LOS ANGELES COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT**  
**30-DAY REPORT BACK ON CONTRACT COMPLIANCE STATUS FOR**  
**THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY OFFENDER MONITORING SYSTEM**

At the September 10, 2013, Board meeting, the Sheriff was requested to report back every 30 days on contract compliance and program updates for the Los Angeles County Offender Monitoring System (LACOMS) as provided by Sentinel Offender Services, LLC (Sentinel). The current status of the program is outlined below:

- The LACOMS program is currently monitoring 140 inmate workers assigned to 23 patrol stations and 37 inmates assigned to treatment service centers utilizing Global Positioning System (GPS) and Radio Frequency technology.
- Sentinel upgraded the monitor bands to the new fiber optic bands for all treatment service program participants and will complete the band exchange for the station inmate worker program on October 15, 2014.
- The Contracts Compliance Unit is holding an annual contract compliance review with Sentinel on October 16, 2014, to review contract guidelines and ensure contract compliance. A comprehensive contract audit report will be forwarded to the Board upon completion.
- Three of the five treatment program absconders have been returned to custody and per Penal Code Section 4532 charged with escape. The Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department's (Department) Major Crimes Bureau is actively investigating all leads in an effort to find the two remaining absconders.

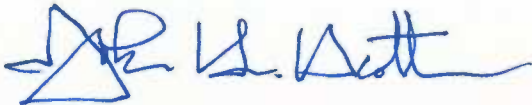
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- Since the last report back there have been no new absconds. Sentinel has responded to minor program violations, tamper alerts, low battery alerts, and non-compliance issues in a timely manner.
- The cost to the Department for GPS monitoring for the month of September was \$15,867.

Should you have any questions, please contact Chief Eric G. Parra, Custody Services Division, General Population, at (213) 893-5017.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "John L. Scott". The signature is stylized with a large initial "J" and "S".

JOHN L. SCOTT  
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